Infrastructure Roundtable

Date: Friday, May 8, 2015

Start: 2:00 PM **End:** 3:00 PM

Location (s)

Springfield: Treasurer's Office in the Capitol **Chicago:** Thompson Center, 15th floor, Suite 16

Attendees:

Chicago:

Treasurer's Office

State Treasurer Michael Frerichs
Jay Rowell, Deputy Treasurer
Julian Federle, Chief Policy and Programs Officer
Chasse Rehwinkel, Director of Policy
Alex Armour, Policy and Programs Coordinator
Nikki Giancola, Executive Assistant to the Treasurer

Springfield:

Justin Cajindos, Chief of Staff

All Discussions Are Pre-Decisional

OPEN - 2PM

Treasurer Michael Frerichs – Opened the meetings, started introductions, and outlined topics for the roundtable discussion.

Chasse Rehwinkel, Director of Policy – Gave an overview of the Treasurer's Office and described the office's relationship to infrastructure.

Mayor Elizabeth Tisdahl – Discussed how municipalities receive grants and loans.

Open discussion on public-private partnerships, both pros and cons.

Lou Gale, Solomon Cordwell Buenz – Discussed public university bonding and infrastructure.

Open discussion on university bonds.

Chasse Rehwinkel, Director of Policy – Discussed public-private partnership policy for the state in general.

Mayor Elizabeth Tisdahl – Discussed how municipalities determine public-private deal choices.

Lou Gale, Solomon Cordwell Buenz – Discussed education opportunities on public-private partnerships.

Open discussion on how to provide municipalities with best practices information on public-private partnerships.

Additional Invitees

Lou Gale, Solomon Cordwell Buenz Evanston Mayor Elizabeth Tisdahl State Rep. Gary Hannig (Ret.) Chasse Rehwinkel, Director of Policy – Discussed capital plan bonding in low interest environment.

Open discussion on capital credit

Chasse Rehwinkel, Director of Policy – Outlined takeaways from roundtable.

Treasurer Michael Frerichs – Closed meeting.

CLOSED – 3PM